

DEATHS

HENRY MOORE

Funeral services for Henry Moore were conducted at 4 p.m. at St. Paul's United Methodist Church Sunday by Elder S. I. Clement.

Moore, 51, of 521 Harmon Ct. died Wed. Jan. 2 at Kings Mountain Hospital. He was a veteran of World War Two.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Delcina Guyton Moore; three sons, Dale, Allen and Henry Moore Jr. of the home; four daughters, Miss Evelyn Guyton of Bronx, NY, Sherrie, Phyllis and Alana Moore of the home; and five sisters, Mrs. Janie Brooks, Miss Viola Moore, Mrs. Rosa Lee Jackson and Mrs. Patricia Adams of Kings Mountain and Mrs. Eunice Felton of Philadelphia, Pa.

J. W. Gill and Sons of Kings Mountain had charge of the arrangements.

RIVES HAYES

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 4 p.m. at Shady Grove Baptist Church for Rives Hayes, 71, of Rt. 3, Kings Mountain, who died Sunday at Kings Mountain Hospital.

The Rev. Frank C. Taylor, the Rev. N. G. Lemmons and the Rev. W. L. Huffstetler officiated and burial was in the church cemetery.

A Cleveland County native, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hayes, he was a member of the church where services were held. Hayes had been seriously ill two days prior to his death.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Ola Cleary Hayes; four sons, Voyd and Roy Hayes of Kings Mountain, Anderson Hayes of Shelby and Edward Hayes of Fallston; five daughters, Mrs. Ruth Bowens, Mrs. Katherine Arrowood and Mrs. Carolyn Kiser of Kings Mountain, Mrs. Jeanette Arrowood of Cherryville, Mrs. Jean Arrowood of Shelby; one brother, Yates Hayes of Augusta, Ga.; two sisters, Mrs. Violet McSwain and Mrs. Bessie Barrett of Shelby; 30 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Harris Funeral Home had charge of the arrangements.

MRS. HATTIE BELL

Funeral services for Mrs. Hattie Mae Bell, 85, of Short Rd., who died Friday at Kings Mountain Hospital, were held Sunday at 4 p.m. at Oak Grove Baptist Church.

Officiating were the Rev. Russell Hinton and the Rev. James Holder. Burial was in the church cemetery.

A native of Cleveland County, she was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Drayton Oats and widow of Jonas W. Bell.

Surviving are three sons, Arthur and Otto Bell of Kings Mountain, and Henry Bell of Charlotte; three daughters, Mrs. Robert Taylor, Mrs. Paul Bridges and Mrs. Dennis Goforth of Kings Mountain; 26 grandchildren; 62 great-grandchildren and 11 great-great-grandchildren.

Harris Funeral Home had charge of the arrangements.

SAMUEL JONES

GROVER - Funeral services for Samuel Alexander Jones, 61, who died Friday in Kings Mountain Hospital, were held Wednesday at 4 p.m. at Shiloh A.M.E. Zion Baptist Church.

Officiating was the Rev. R. O. Davis and burial was in the church cemetery.

A Gaffney, S.C. native, he was a Southern Railway

employee for 35 years. He was the son of the late Rev. Samuel Robert and Sally Jamieson Jones. He was a member of Star Lodge No. 5 and the Burial Aid Society. He was a Sunday School superintendent and senior choir leader.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Lucille A. Jones; his stepmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Jones; six sons, Carl and Dennis Jones of the home, Buddy, Sam and Charles Jones of Kings Mountain, and Bobby Jones of Mt. Kisco, NY; three daughters, Mrs. Brenda Thompson, Miss Debra Jones of the home, and Mrs. Mary Ann Farmer of Blacksburg, SC.; three brothers, the Rev. Robert Kirby of Kings Mountain, Robert Jones of Philadelphia, Pa. and J. D. Jones of New Jersey; three sisters, Mrs. Jessie Gode of Grover, Mrs. Mary Alice Archer of Lawndale and Mrs. Dorenda Ross of Shelby; and 19 grandchildren.

J. W. Gill and Sons of Kings Mountain had charge of the arrangements.

NORMAN GOODE

GROVER - Funeral services for Norman Goode, 24, who died Wed., Jan. 2, at Kings Mountain Hospital, were held Sunday at 3 p.m. at Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church in Bessemer City.

Officiating were the Rev. W. M. Murray and the Rev. R. L. Garvin. Burial was in Community Cemetery.

A former employe of Kerns Trucking Co., he was a member of Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church. He was a Vietnam veteran.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Deborah Mitchem Goode; father and stepmother, Mr. and Mrs. Emmanuel Goode of Bessemer City; three brothers, Robert and Wayne Goode of Bessemer City, and Emmanuel Goode Jr. of Forestville, Md.; one stepbrother, Lonell Ross of Kings Mountain; three sisters, Mrs. Edna Roberts of Kings Mountain, Mrs. Constance Byers of Grover and Mrs. Margie Kents of LaFontaine, NY.

J. W. Gill and Sons of Kings Mountain had charge of the arrangements.

MRS. IDA G. BUMGARDNER

Mrs. Ida Guin Bumgardner, 67, of 1820 Davis Park Road, Gastonia died Thursday, Jan. 3 at 2 a.m. at her home.

She was the daughter of the late Levi Guin and Patsy Sanford Guin.

Surviving are her husband, James A. Bumgardner; one daughter, Mrs. Ted Earney of Atlanta, Ga.; three sisters, Mrs. June Badger, Mrs. Ira Davis, Mrs. Blanche Wiggins, all of Gastonia; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Saturday at 3 p.m. at Unity Baptist Church, where she was a member, by the Rev. L. E. Bookout and the Rev. W. F. Woodall.

Burial was in Hollywood Cemetery. Sisk Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

JAMES McDONALD JR.

James Winfred McDonald Jr., of Blacksburg died Tuesday at 11 p.m. in Spartanburg General Hospital.

A native of Cabarrus County, he was employed by Marion Manufacturing Co. a Vietnam veteran and a member of Eastside Baptist Church in Blacksburg.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Wanda Hampton McDonald; his father and mother, James W. McDonald Sr. of Blacksburg and Mary H. Hoffner of Salisbury; his stepmother, Mrs. Laura Elliott McDonald; one son, James Richie McDonald of the home; two brothers, Brandon and Nolan McDonald, both of Salisbury; one sister, Miss Sara McDonald of Salisbury; paternal grandmother, Mrs. Annie M. McDonald of Blacksburg; maternal grandparents, Mrs. and Mrs. George Howard of Salisbury.

Funeral services were held Thursday at 3 p.m. at Eastside Baptist Church by the Rev. M. P. Hampton, the Rev. Bobby Deviney and the Rev. Corey R. Miller.

Burial was in Clingman Memorial Gardens.

Pall Bearers were Ben Allison, George Putnam, Virgil Hampton, Tommy Horton, Albert Peterson and Butch Rape.

Gordens Funeral Home in Blacksburg was in charge of arrangements.

What Is A Preacher?

Rev. Russell Fitts

Pastor

Bethlehem

Baptist Church



A good question comes from a small boy, "What does a preacher do beside preaching?"

This ought to be answered in two respects. What does he do? What does he not do? In the affirmative, it is common knowledge that the preacher holds regular public services and special public services. It is hoped that he spends time in prayer and study. Also, he seeks to know something of his own community and events of our day. He has relationships to the public schools, civic clubs and other activities. This, of course, may vary according to his time and his views toward activities outside his church.

Some ministers are experienced in building

great buildings and congregations. Others are more suited to building of a strong fellowship, confidence and trust within the congregation. All of us certainly are interested in those outside the fellowship of a church and hope that they will come into the established church. One important thing needs to be noted about what a minister does not do. In the past twenty-five years, he has been trained as a counselor. As he becomes acquainted with heartaches, failures and broken lives, he must be careful not to give advice. Rather, he uses what insight he has to help the person see the road he is traveling. All possibilities that he can help a troubled person see then become possible answers.

Another thing the minister does not do is to get mad at those who disagree with him. After all, Jesus went home with notorious sinners as their guest. This minister has often said, "It is a man's own choice to go to hell if he wants to." Another thing the minister does not do, if he follows the Biblical revelation and historical Christianity, is to change the message. Basically, the message is that man is a sinner and God provides a Savior. The minister is not the originator of the message. He is a conveyor of the message.

One other thought on what the minister is not. He is not any other thing but human like all other people. He has his own problems and seeks to find an answer from the same Lord he proclaims to others.

If you should ask this minister what he wants most in his life's work, the answer would be something like this: a church fellowship that reaches the young and old, the rich and poor, the learned and unlearned, the lovely and unlovely and that shows mutual respect one to another.

The writer would like to thank his own church and the people of this community for an opportunity of working toward this goal.

Also, the writer would like to express thankfulness to the Kings Mountain Pastors' Association. This inter-denominational association is a very active one and affords real opportunity for inter-church and community work.

The minister is grateful for insights passed on to him by little children, young people and adults.

We all are in the process of growth if we be people of faith. Therefore, we can learn from each other and help each other along life's way.



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Dr. Carson To

Speak At Bethel

Dr. Ralph Carson, a professor at Gardner-Webb College, will teach the Alpha and Omega Bible Class Mon., Jan. 14 at Bethel, 1403 Grover Rd.

All high school and college area youth are invited to attend the 7:30 p.m. class.

Jr. Police

Elect Officers

The KM Junior Police held a meeting Sat. night Jan. 5, and elected new officers.

The officers are: Robert Surratt-assistant director; Chief-Darrel Edwards; Lieutenants-Terry Brown and Johnny Watson; Sergeants-Andrew Burris and Tyrone Byers; and Secretary-Keith Falls.